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One of Lincoln's Son's.

"No man is wholly bad, an if you go at the man right you can reach him and influence his life. I have talked with some of the men in here of whom it was said that they were the hardest to reach inside the walls, and I have never received a rebuff."

These were the words of the Rev. Joseph Severance, Chaplain of Frankfort Penitentiary, and one of the brightest of old Lincoln's sons. Taking up the work of the spiritual direction of the institution Aug. 1st., he has proven himself to be the man of the hour for that work. A man of magnetic personality, he has endeared himself to the unfortunate therein by his personality. Not only this, he is a true pulpit orator and never have the men voluntarily attended church services as they do now. Chaplain Severance visits the prison daily and has a personal acquaintance with each man, inspiring him with confidence that he is interested in his needs and welfare; in short he is the prisoner's friend. The moral tone of the prison since his coming has been incalculably raised and the end is not in sight. The public at large gives too little thought to the man after he has been convicted and confined within prison walls. If the immuring of the man is just for punishment, our laws fail of their end, but if the segregation is to help in reformation then the end is attained.

Rev. Severance keeps the idea before the men that good behavior helps both behind the walls and outside as well, and by his forceful tact he has gained the good will of the men; by manual dexterity with tools he has gained their respect and by his Christian life and teaching is winning them from evil ways and practices, thus preparing them to be good citizens, instead of terrors to the community in which they may live and thus be living monuments of Christ's love when exercised by strong, virile, consecrated men. By his wide acquaintance he is arousing an interest throughout the State as to the problem of what will be the future of the prisoner after he leaves the prison and also the betterment of the prisoner during confinement. In this list he has the hearty co-operation of Commissioners, wardens, and other prison officials. O. M. BROWN, president C. E. Society.

Everybody Skins the Farmer.

Everybody skins the farmer;

Such an easy thing—

Easy summer as in winter,

And in fall or spring.

There is never any let up,

Ne'er a halt, begosh!

Ev'rybody skins the farmer,

And that's no josh!

Grafters have a tired feeling,

Toil is a thing they hate;

But the farmer seems so willing,

To bite their wretched bait.

Rockefeller Swift, and Armour,

All know where to try,

Ev'rybody skins the farmer,

And that's no lie.

Party crook and public grafter,

Scheme and pious fraud,

Each in his own way is after

A chunk of the farmer's wad;

But there's a sure way to stop it

A bright and hopeful gleam,

Join the men of Equity,

And that's no dream!

The Grip.

"Before we can sympathize with others, we must have suffered ourselves." No one can realize the suffering attendant upon an attack of the grip, unless he has had the actual experience. There is probably no disease that causes so much physical and mental agony, or which so successfully defies medical aid. All danger from the grip, however, may be avoided by the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy not one case has ever been reported that has resulted in pneumonia or that has not recovered. For sale by the Stanford Drug Co.

Speaking for 50,000 Negroes who compose its membership, the Grand Council of the National Industrial Association of America, in convention at Baton Rouge, adopted a resolution endorsing President Roosevelt's action in dismissing the Negro soldiers at Brownsville.

A Jamaican Lady Speaks Highly of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Mrs. Michael Hart, wife of the superintendent of Cart Service, at Kingston, Jamaica, West Indies Islands, says that she has for some years used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, croup and whooping cough and has found it very beneficial. She has implicit confidence in it and would not be without a bottle of it in her home. Sold by the Stanford Drug Co.

MATRIMONIAL.

W. C. Brown and Miss Julia Murphy were made one on the 16th.

David Goodpastor, of Bourbon, and Miss Lena Spire, of Highland, were married at the bride's home Monday.

Louis Minnini and Miss Lillian Lane were united in marriage this morning at the parsonage by Father Knue. After the ceremony the young couple left for a bridal tour of several days. Upon their return they will begin housekeeping.—Boyle County Herald.

It may not be generally known, but Negroes and whites can legally marry in the District of Columbia. To remedy this disgraceful state of affairs Representative Byrd, of Mississippi, has introduced a bill prohibiting the intermarriage of Negroes and whites at the national capital.

Friends here have received cards announcing the marriage of Mr. Thos. D. Wearen to Miss Anna May Harrington, of Vermont. The bride was visiting relatives in New Orleans, where she met Mr. Wearen, who is now a resident of the Crescent City, and the marriage followed on Jan. 10. The groom is a brother of Mr. W. H. Wearen, of this place, and has many friends here who wish him well.

CHURCH MATTERS.

Hiram Wells, aged 57, and Miss Lou Watson, 16, were married in Cumberland county.

A series of meetings by Rev. Wm. Crow, of Frankfort, are now in progress at the Presbyterian church, with good attendance and several additions.—Somerset Republican.

"Uncle" Joe Hopper, of Perryville, who has been assisting Rev. H. R. Laird in a protracted meeting at the Presbyterian church for the past week, closed Monday night. Each service was well attended despite the weather. "Uncle" Joe is a practical every-day speaker, but has a way peculiar to himself of carrying his audience through his talks. He is hale and hearty, though weighted down by four score years. May he live many years yet to prosecute the work he loves so much. We trust we may have him with us again ere he joins the choir invisible.—Paris News.

Cured of Lung Trouble.

"It is now 11 years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C. O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant, both by day and by night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored to my normal weight, 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at Penny's Drug Store, 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

Connecticut is usually regarded as a safe and pleasant place to line in, and yet it had 43 murderers in 1906, where Maine had only two. To be sure, Connecticut has more people than Maine, but not so very many more; it has fewer than 1,000,000, while Maine has 725,000. It is fair to state that it was an unusually bad year for the old Nutmeg State in this respect, as its 43 murderers are more than it ever had before in a single year, and 17 more than the annual average for the last decade.—Kennebec Journal.

A Card.

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. Cures la grippe coughs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. G. L. Penny.

On an American 25 cent piece there are 13 stars, 13 letters in the scroll held in the eagle's beak, 13 feathers in each of the eagle's wings, 13 tail feathers, 13 parallel bars in the shield, 13 horizontal bars, 13 leaves on the branch and 13 letters in the words "quarter dollar."—New York Tribune.

CORNS CURED.—Corn Exit will positively remove corns in four days. The treatment is simple and pleasant and we absolutely guarantee to refund the money to each and every customer whose corns are not promptly removed with entire satisfaction. A bottle of this great preparation only costs 15 cents and nothing if a perfect cure is not speedily effected. G. L. Penny, druggist, Stanford, Ky.

Large increases in the valuation of coal properties in Harlan county have been made by the County Board of Assessment, and many protests have been made, it being argued that the increases will tend to keep out foreign capital.

NEWS NOTES.

Two girls made their escape from the New Castle jail while the jailer's back was turned.

According to the internal revenue officials, there has been no extensive manufacture of denatured alcohol as yet.

The trial of Harry Kendall Thaw for the murder of Stanford White, the architect, is expected to be called in New York on Wednesday.

Railroads are practically at a standstill in Oregon and Washington because of the inability of the companies to obtain fuel for locomotives.

Two stores within less than half a block of the Hammond-street police station in Cincinnati were entered and robbed of \$5,000 worth of fine furs.

Statistics published in St. Petersburg show that 1,252 persons were sentenced to death in Russia during the year 1906 for political or revolutionary crimes.

Flood conditions prevail all over Eastern Kentucky. Railway trains are all behind time and thousands of logs have been lost. All log booms are being closely watched.

Twenty-five deaths within the last 15 days is the record of fatalities from a strange disease in a region along the Canadian river, about four and a half miles from Konowa, I. T.

Milton, this State, is almost entirely under water, only two buildings being on dry ground. A general store and the postoffice at Gum, five miles below, were washed away by the flood.

Suits may be filed by Western Kentucky coal operators against railroads in that section, asking many thousands of dollars in damages for alleged discrimination in the delivery of cars.

The refusal of a priest to bless the remains of two workmen killed in a street fight caused a riot in a church at Lodz, Russian Poland, in which eight persons were killed and 13 wounded.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Southern Industrial and Immigration Association at Birmingham, Ala., plans were adopted for the establishment of an immigration league in every Southern State.

Judge William Carnes, special judge to try the men accused of the murder of Dr. B. D. Cox, at Jackson, held court for a few minutes to enter an order ending the special term. He remained in Jackson only a few minutes.

At least 16 people were crushed or burned to death in a collision at Fowler, Ind., between a passenger train and a freight on the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis railroad. Ten persons were seriously injured. The collision was caused by the passenger train running by a signal in a dense fog.

The situation at Kingston, Jamaica, is appalling, and reports indicate that the recent earthquake disaster is developing into one of the greatest calamities of modern times. It is believed that thousands of persons have been killed. The shore line has disappeared in many places, and the city seems about to sink into the sea.

Four men are to be hanged in Kentucky on Friday, February 15 next, under judgments of court, the Governor fixing the date for execution. They are Guy Lyon and W. R. Fletcher, of Logan county, convicted of committing criminal assault, and Ben Huffaker, of Lyon county, and Jessie Fitzgerald, of Knox county, sentenced on conviction of murder.

It is estimated that at least 15,000 people are homeless on account of the flooding of the lower sections of Cincinnati and the cities on the Kentucky side of the Ohio at that point. Fully three thousand have been driven from their homes in Cincinnati, nearly five thousand residents of Newport have been compelled to vacate their homes and all the other cities within 10 miles of Cincinnati report thousands more sufferers.

James Hargis lost at all points before the Court of Appeals, which handed down two opinions in cases in which he is involved. The indictment in Fayette county, charging the Cockrell murder, was held to be good. The court also directed Special Judge Cranes to draw a jury to try the Cox case from the jury wheel and further directed him in the trial of the case, although revoking the writ of prohibition directed against him.

Dangers of a Cold and How to Avoid Them.

More fatalities have their origin in or result from a cold than from any other cause. This fact alone should make people more careful as there is no danger whatever from a cold when it is properly treated in the beginning. For many years Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been recognized as the most prompt and effectual medicine in use for this disease. It acts on nature's plan, loosens the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to healthy condition. Sold by the Stanford Drug Co.

HUSTONVILLE.

Dr. Godbey, of Perryville, has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Godbey.

D. C. Allen shipped his usual quota of hogs and cattle, paying 54c and 3c respectively for them.

Work is progressing on the home of Charles Lutes and the weather permitting it will be ready for occupancy in about four weeks.

Nathan C. Hicks and family will move to the Mrs. Maggie Dunn farm this week. We welcome them to the West End and hope they will find their home both pleasant and profitable.

Miss Anna Reid entertained a few friends with an elegant 6 o'clock dinner Friday evening. Among those present were: Misses Catherine Alcorn, Melle Hopper, Lou Hocker and A. B. C. Dinwiddie and Prof. McVey.

Foxes are getting so numerous in the Mt. Salem section that their hunting is being resorted to for the better protection of lambs, pigs, geese and ducks. Last Wednesday Wm. Tinsley and others jumped a large, red male and after a long chase their hounds captured him.

Our banner year was 1906 in industrial activity and in every line. Our merchants and live stock dealers report a decided increase of business over former years. The open winter has had some effect on the sale of winter goods and preparations are being made for a clearance sale, the "ads." of which will appear in our next letter.

K. G. Martin has opened a subscription school at the Richards schoolhouse with about 30 pupils. Mr. John Brown, of Casey county, has returned from a business trip to Dalton, Ga. He is vice president of the proposed rail road from McKinney to Scottsville and furnished a liberal portion of the funds used in the survey of last summer.

The number of dwellings here is not sufficient to supply the demand. Half a dozen or more good cottages could be rented at good interest on the capital invested. People are getting more anxious than formerly to educate their children, knowing the value of it in this progressive age, and would come here to take advantage of our excellent graded school if they could secure houses.

"There are times in men's lives, which if taken with the flood, lead on to fortune." These same conditions are true of towns and cities, and to day it is within the province of our sister city, Danville, to be to the adjacent territory what Lexington is to Central Kentucky. Interurban lines solves the problem, and since the introduction of motor cars there is no reason why Danville's Commercial Club should not investigate a route along the pike for freight and passenger traffic.

Briggs, the young Siberian bloodhound of Lair & Brown, made a record-breaking trail in Casey last Friday night. The store of Combest & Carson at Phil was broken into and about \$300 taken. The dog took the trail 16 or 18 hours after the robbery occurred and in a driving rain followed it to the spot where the thieves halted to divide their spoils and thence to the cabin of Elmer White and from there to a place across streams, etc., where the parties had started, thus locating the guilty persons—Elmer White, Tom Turner and Clarence Thomas. Thomas confessed, implicating the other two and the money was recovered. The men were placed in the Liberty jail.

Wise Counsel From the South.

"I want to give some valuable advice to those who suffer with lame back and kidney trouble," says J. R. Blankenship, of Beck, Tenn. "I have proved to an absolute certainty that Electric Bitters will positively cure this distressing condition. The first bottle gave me great relief and after taking a few more bottles, I was completely cured; so completely that it becomes a pleasure to recommend this great remedy." Sold under guarantee at Penny's Drug Store. Price 50c.

"Is ignorance ever bliss?" "Sure." "Cite an instance." "Well, take the case of the hobo who doesn't know where to find work."

An Insidious Danger.

One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes. G. L. Penny.

An engine on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe road exploded on a bridge near Desoto, Kansas, killing three men, destroying the bridge and landing 14 cars into the river.

Disturbed the Congregation.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing is requested to buy a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. G. L. Penny.

January Clearance Sale!

\$15.00 Men's Overcoats Cut to	\$11.48
12.50 Men's Overcoats Cut to	9.48
10.00 Men's Overcoats Cut to	7.48
7.50 Men's Overcoats Cut to	4.98
6.50 Men's Overcoats Cut to	4.48
5.00 Men's Overcoats Cut to	3.98
18.00 Men's Suits Cut to	13.98
15.00 Men's Suits Cut to	11.98
12.50 Men's Suits Cut to	9.98
10.00 Men's Suits Cut to	7.98
8.50 Men's Suits Cut to	5.98
7.50 Men's Suits Cut to	5.48
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